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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$312.
■ \$312 for 4 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1132.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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In re Patent Application of
Toshihiro SHIMA
Serial No.: 09/521,915
Filed: March 9, 2000
For: PRINTER AND PRINTER DATA PROCESSING METHOD



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SUBMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATION
AND REQUISITE FEES

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted," mailed May 18, 2000, submitted herewith is the Declaration for the above-mentioned application properly executed by the inventor(s) along with the requisite filing fees. Also enclosed please find an executed Assignment and PTO Form 1595.

Checks for the statutory fee of \$1,392.00 (U.S. Government filing fee \$690.00; Excess Independent Claim fee \$312.00; Multiple Dependent Claim fee \$260.00; Late Submission of Declaration Surcharge \$130.00) and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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